

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, Haley Stanley Jacobson and Alta "Loleta" Ziegenbein exchanged their wedding vows on November 28, 1928, in Pierre, South Dakota, promising to share their lives and love together for the rest of their days; and,

Whereas, Haley and Loleta are the parents of one son, Donald William, and now have four grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren and seven great-great-grandchildren; and,

Whereas, Haley and Loleta lived and worked in Midland and Philip, Haley was in law enforcement, and Loleta owned and operated a café and worked in retail stores, now Haley enjoys playing cards, and Loleta does crocheting, knitting and quilting; and,

Whereas, The newly-wed couple of 75 years ago has been replaced by two devoted partners who have shared life's beauty and sorrow, and have grown to love one another more because of their common journey; and,

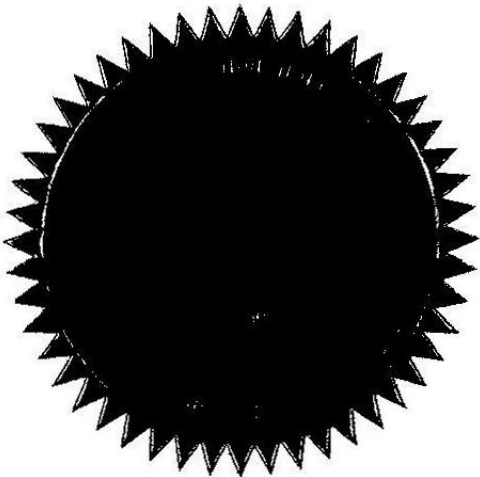
Whereas, Through their lifelong dedication to the values of caring and sharing, Haley and Loleta have helped make South Dakota a great place to live and work; and,

Whereas, It is altogether fitting and proper that the Governor of South Dakota recognizes and commemorates the memorable milestones in the lives of the state's outstanding citizens:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim November 28, 2003, as

HALEY AND LOLETA JACOBSON DAY

in South Dakota, and I join with the honored couple's family and friends in wishing them continued health and happiness in a state that stands prouder today because of their contributions and commitment.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Nineteenth Day of August in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Three.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State